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PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number

MTI 1877-002

First Named Inventor

Nufer, et al.

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Application Number

Filing Date

Art Unit

Examiner Name

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**BALANCE WITH A HEAT-REMOVING DEVICE**

*(Title of the Invention)*

the specification of which

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY)   as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number   and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY)   (if applicable).

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Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached? Yes	Certified Copy Attached? No
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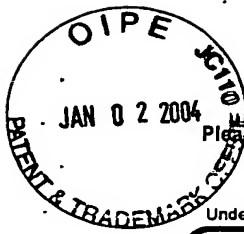
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Title	BALANCE WITH A HEAT-REMOVING DEVICE
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Examiner Name	
Attorney Docket Number	MTI 1877-002

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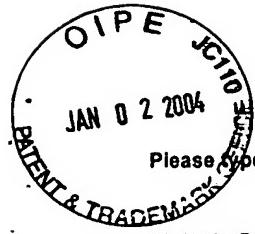
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